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Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services

Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations

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The General Assembly,

Having considered the following reports:

(a) Annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 1995 to 30 June 1996;[1]

(b) Comments of the Joint Inspection Unit on the final reports produced by the Office of Internal Oversight Services;[2]

(c) Annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997;[3]

(d) Comments of the Joint Inspection Unit on the final reports produced by the Office of Internal Oversight Services;[4]

(e) Annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 1997 to 30 June 1998;[5]

(f) Annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 1998 to 30 June 1999;[6]

[1] A/51/432.
[2] A/51/530 and Corr.1.
[3] A/52/426.
[4] A/52/464.
[5] A/53/428.
[6] A/54/393.

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(g) Report of the Secretary-General on the rules and procedures to be applied for the investigation functions performed by the Office of Internal Oversight Services,[7]

1. *Requests* the Secretary-General to ensure that future reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services are in accordance with the provisions of General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994 and 54/244 of 23 December 1999, and the relevant provisions of the Charter of the United Nations and the rules of procedure of the General Assembly;

2. *Decides* to defer consideration of the report of the Secretary-General on enhancing the internal oversight mechanisms in operational funds and programmes, updated version,[8] to its fifty-sixth session, and requests the Secretary-General to seek updated views from the funds and programmes on this report and to transmit them to the Assembly at the main part of its fifty-sixth session;

3. *Also decides* to defer consideration of the sixth annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services covering activities for the period from 1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000[9] to its fifty-sixth session.

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[7] A/55/469.

[8] A/55/826 and Corr.1.

[9] A/55/436.